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Shorts About Service Men

What the Boys are Doing Here and There

Ensign John Saibini, who has been stationed at Miami, Florida for the past several months has been transferred to Norfolk, Virginia.

F. W. Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wilson, formerly of Hobart Mills and now residing at Murphy's, is now a sergeant stationed in Tennessee.

Sgt. Paul Losey is another Truckee man to have a New York A. P. O. number attached to his address, indicating his absence from the good old U. S. A.

Cadet Midshipman Lester G. Hammon, of Cisco Grove, Soda Springs, was recently cited for meritorius conduct in battle, according to a press dispatch from Washington, D.C. A member of the crew of the U. S Nathaniel Currier, a Liberty ship in the Pacific, Hammon took part in the defeat of a Japanese dive-bomber squadron while unloading cargo in a South Pacific port. So hot was the fire from the Currier that the dive bombers sheered off and their bombs missed. Two of the planes were shot down, two more damaged and the fifth escaped with smoke pouring from its engines.

Before he left for parts unknown, Sgt. Erving Waters wrote that he had a last fling in New York before departing. "Sure want to get the paper more than ever now and I hope it will catch up with me," Erv said. Erv said they couldn't fool him with the Brooklyn bridge, but he did buy the toll rights to the George Washing Bridge over the Hudson.

Pvts. Harry Digesti, Nick Sassarini and Byron Johnson and Seaman Dave Bolender who have been enjoying a visit home are looking a bit bored and will soon be back in the ranks. In the meantime they have been feted by the Lions and Rotary clubs and seem to get kick out of being at home.

We have just learned of another local boy who has made good in the army. Charlie McKeen, who has been on the state highway patrol for some years, has gone into the army as a first lieuy, we are advised. Charlie will make good, we'll bet. Mrs. McKeen and junior are staying at their new home in Fair Oaks.

Bud Zorich and Charlie Pierce have both been heard from within the week from their widely separated posts in the Pacific. The latter promises to send some pictures that all of us are waiting to see.

Mrs. Leo Cardinal has frequent letter from her SeaBee husband who is in the Pacific area, working hard and anxious to get back home.

My Place In The Sun

By CORP. DOUG BARRETT

(Excerpts from letters from some where in the Alaska Theater).

The news of Al Fontana's passing shocked and saddened me. I have always thought highly of Al. My associations with him in lodge and business gave me the impression that he was a very high type of man morally, mentally and intellectually. The region has lost a real asset and we have lost a good friend. I wish to express to Mrs. Fontana my deepest sympathy.

Today I am supposed to go over and take a "booster" shot against typhoid. Personally, I have no great faith in this method of immunization but if the boss says I gotta, I'm not one to argue. Aside from the petty annoyance, the shots don't phase me so if it makes anyone else any happier, I'll put up with it.

We are now basking in the wake of USO Unit No. 100 which passed this way a couple of days ago. The unit had four ladies and two men and added quite a bit of boost to local morale. It was a cracker-jack of a show featuring a dancer, two female singers, a magician act—man and wife affair—and an accordion player. The show was well received and the girls were brought back for encore upon encore until I felt sorry for them but they put up a brave front (especially the red-head) and kept at it as long as their talents held out. The accordion player did a couple of solos but he, too, was not permitted to quit there so he swung off onto leading a community sing during which I was introduced to Pistol Packing Mamma. They laid over night, eating with the enlisted men, riding dog sleds and looking over the community and by and large left a very good feeling behind them.

Have no fear for my health. I have donned the longies and other winter issue. I've just received a big furlined hat —miracle of miracles, my size— furlined slippers to wear inside my boots and a great big pair of fur mitts.

DALLAS BROWNS ARE PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Brown of Edwards' Lodge at Lake Tahoe went to Oakland Wednesday to see their new grandson who was born to Mrs. Dallas Brown on October 27.

The boy has been named Dallas Alden and weighed 7 pounds and 5 ounces at birth. Mrs. Brown is the former Ruth Moore of Truckee and Brown was employed here prior to going to Oakland.

ARMY DESERTER IS NABBED BY PATROL

The intuition of State Patrolman William Gautsche yesterday afternoon led to the apprehension of an alleged army deserter, who has escaped the questioning of officers since he left the army without leave on August 8, 1942, more than a year ago.

The suspect is Jacob John Wenzel, 31, alias Frank Hayes, who admitted, Gautsche said, to deserting the army in South Carolina. Wenzel is being turned over to government officials.

Gautsche noticed Wenzel standing near a service station and evidently awaiting a ride. The officer drove a short distance and then returned to talk to the hitch-hiker. In the meantime, Wenzel had been picked up by an army captain and Gautsche overtook the car, questioned the passenger and locked him in jail.

EASTERN STAR HAS INTERESTING PARTY

The party given by the committee composed of H. I. Snider, D. W. Bowen, G. E. Hofmann and L. A. Greene following the regular meeting of Truckee Chapter No. 116, Order of Eastern Star, was an enjoyable affair. Games were played with Eliza Campbell receiving high award for contract, Lotta Bryant, low. Edith Deaton was high at bingo.

Refreshments followed the games. Installation will be held December 7 with Noami Hursey, retiring worthy matron, installing the officers.

Naomi Hursey was presented with a lovely lace dinner cloth by the members for her splendid service as worthy matron.

NEW BOOKS ARRIVE AT LIBRARY HERE

Mrs. W. C. Gage, chairman of the Wyethia Library committee, has announced the arrival of the following new books which have been added to the shelves of the library:

None But the Lonely Heart, by Lewellyn; Hungry Hill, by du Maurier; Thunder in Heaven, by von Temp ski; The Human Comedy by Saroyan and Burma Surgeon by Seagrave.

These volumes augment the already well supplied list of modern books available.

WOODLAND MAN IS SIERRA PUBLISHER

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Stowe have moved to Downieville from Woodland and have purchased the Mountain Messenger, 75-year-old weekly newspaper in the Sierra County seat. Stowe is an experienced newspaper man, having published the Fairfield Enterprise, in Solano county prior to purchasing a daily newspaper in Yolo County in 1924, which he operated for 12 years. Aside from his publishing experience, Stowe has been active in political and fratenal circles for many years.

BANKING DISCUSSED AT ROTARY MEET

An able and interesting talk on the subject of "Banking" was given before the Rotary Club Monday night by R. N. Little, manager of the local branch of Bank of America. Little traced the rise of banking and gave examples of changing conditions which brought about revival in the banking field. He answered questions at the close of his talk.

Johnnie Ciardella was the program chairman and Dee Bowen presided.

Guests included C. B. White, Pvt. Nick Sassarini, Pvt. Harry Digesti, Pvt. Ralph Hensley, Oka Hensley, Seaman Dave Bolender and George Kamp of Truckee.

NEW GAS RATION TO GIVE B, C, 5 GALLONS

When their present B and C books expire, motorists will be given stream lined books containing fewer coupons, the OPA has revealed. Total gallonage will not be affected, however, as the new coupons will be valid for five gallons instead of three as at the present time. The new coupons, which boards will start issuing December 1, will be designated as B-2 and C-2 on their face.

Gets Promotion—

Fred Tassano received word that he is slated for promotion and will later be transferred to San Francisco. He is stationed at the Donner Summit Airways station.

Last Rites Held For Eben Smart Of Grass Valley

Community Leader Expires Following Ilness In Hospital

Funeral services were held yesterday at Grass Valley for Eben K. Smart, 45, widely known Nevada County resident and one of the most active civic figures in Northern California, who died Sunday morning in Grass Valley following a heart attack. He had been in the hospital for two days.

A member of a pioneer Placer county family, Smart was a native of Dutch Flat. He attended the University of California and has spent his entire life in this vicinity. Last year he as a candidate for recorder of Nevada county.

Among his civic duties Smart was a past grand trustee of the Native Sons of the Golden West, past president of the Grass Valley Lions Club, past president of the Donner Council of Lions, past commander of the American Legion, past president of the Grass Valley baseball club, past president of the Grass Valley Native Sons, treasurer of the 17th Agricultural District, past president of the Grass Valley Chamber of Commerce and other posts of honor. He acted as master of ceremonies at most functions held in Grass Valley and has often spoken before Truckee audiences.

He leaves his wife and two children and thousands of close frfiends who will mourn his passing.

EARLESS DEER SHOT BY FOREST RANGER

H. I. Snider, Truckee forest ranger, last week took advantage of a day of leisure and went to Nevada in the Mt. Rose district to bag himself a buck. And what a buck! As a matter of fact, the ranger contends that he should have rebate on his deer tag, for, in spite of the fact the deer was dressed out at 165 pounds, he was not all there.

The buck was sans ears. Usually bucks of the species have ears nearly a foot in length, but the one killed by Snider had none at all. The only solution he could offer was that when the five-pointer was still a fawn, he was mutilated by a sheep herder, who occasionally ear-mark deer the same as sheep they are herding.

At any rate Snider will save a thousand or more red points, ears or no cars.

TWO MEN GIVEN JAIL TERMS HERE

Vernon McKay, 35, was sentenced to serve 30 days in the county jail at Nevada City last Thursday after pleading guilty to a charge of violating the county sobriety ordinance. The complaint was issued to Constable N. F. Dolley and Justice of the Peace C. E. Smith imposed the sentence.

James McDonald, 33, arrested by Deputy Constable C. M. Wray on a charge of disturbing the peace on a Southern Pacific passenger train last week, was sentenced by Judge Smith to serve 10 days in jail or pay a $20 fine.

313 CHILDREN ARE ENROLLED IN 1ST GRADES IN COUNTY

There were 312 children enrolled in the first grade of the public schools of Nevada County during 1942-43, compared with 313 for the 1939-40 year, California Taxpayers association stated today, making public its preliminary forecast of school enrollments in California for the rest of the current decade. The year 1939-40 is the low point since 1919-20 for state-wide first grade enrollments.

The 140 children born in the county during the calendar year 1933, together with migrants, made up the first grade enrollments of 1939-40, six and a half years later, the association stated. Births during 1936, which formed the base for the 1942-43 first grade, numbered 246 in the county. Births for 1941, the largest year for which data are available, total 350.

Ill at Home—

Mrs. Frank S. Powell was taken seriously ill Tuesday night with a stomach complaint but was reported resting easily today.

Studies Donner Story

Representative Clair Engle who was in Truckee last week and gathered information which he hopes may aid in eliminating the danger to Donner Lake by the drawing off of excessive water to satisy privately owned power and irrigation districts. He also has been investigating the trouble at the Tule Lake Jap segregation center and found conditions there bad.

"I have included in my bill of particulars," Engle declared, "a request for investigation into prostitution and narcotics at the camp."

ENGLE DISCUSSES CONDITIONS AT JAP SEGREGATION CAMP

Clair Engle, representative from the Second District of California to Congress, was visiting Truckee friends last week following his investigation into the sordid conditions at the Tule Lake Jap relocation camp. He described conditions in the camp as entirely unhealthy and asserted in a bill of particulars dispatched to the Dies Committee that Japanese internees at the segregation center buried thousands of pounds of fresh pork and used government tractors to play polo.

While here, Representative Engle discussed the local problem of Donner Lake and promised to do what he could to bring about a satisfactory conclusion to the controversy between local interests and the Truckee Carson Irrigation District and the Sierra Pacific Power Company which recently dredged the lake's outlet to provide more water for Nevada farms and power, leaving the lake in rather a mournful condition.

Among Engles accusations of the Japanese conditions was the charge that the Japs undertook to condemn great amounts of pork and created a hog cemetery in which thousands of pounds of pork was thrown and covered with a bulldozer.

"The War Relocation Authority," Engle said, "permitted the Japanese to deliberately abuse and destroy valuable farming equipment."

Engle made the general allegation that WRA "followed a policy of appeasement and coddling toward the Japanese." He said disloyal Japanese were in complete control of the camp.

BUSES SAVE TIRES REPORT REVEALS

Intercity buses carrying more than one-half of the total number of passengers traveling between cities, use only six percent of the crude rubber, and only two and one-half percent of the motor fuel consumed by all commercial vehicles, according to F. W. Ackerman, vice president of Pacific Greyhound Lines, in quoting from a comprehensive study of war time transportation problems recently made by the National Association of Motor Bus Operators.

Continuing, Ackerman stated: "Bus operators have been pioneers in rubber conservation, and the intercity bus lines average better and 40,000 miles per tire, with many tires giving 75,000 miles of wear. Even with this large mileage, when replaced for safety reasons, each bus tire still has enough rubber which can be reclaimed to make several passenger car tires."

DRIVERS WARNED OF FALL WEATHER

Gordon Garland, state director of motor vehicles, today urged motorists and pedestrians to exercise greater vigilance in driving and walking in order to avoid accidents caused by the fall weather, fallen leaves and the presence of more pedestrans at night in dark clothing.

"Each fall we find our highway accident figures start to climb," he said. "This year is no exception."

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by WALTER M. BARRETT

With the Christmas season swiftly moving down upon us, we believe it is by no means too early to start that holiday shopping. With the beautiful weather we here in the tall Sierras have been enjoying, it's hard to get in the Christmas mood, but if we delay the shopping much longer we will find ourselves caught in that last minute rush from which results are not at all satisfactory. By shopping now, you get the advantage of all the best the merchants have to offer. Stocks this year are not going to be as plentiful as in the past, but there will be plenty. So take our advise, shop early and by all means SHOP AT HOME. Our Truckee merchants are as well, if not better, prepared to care for your needs than out of town stores and you can certainly not afford to take the time nor spare to the tires and gasoline necessary for shopping in distant markets.

That silt which during the past few years settled in the outlet of Donner Lake must have taken on a state of petrification if we are to believe the stories which have been told about the heaving blasting there by the Nevada irrigation and power concerns which have evidently taken over the historic lake without a struggle. Charges of powder which sent geysers far into the air at the foot of Donner Lake were witnessed by local people. No doubt thousands of fish were killed by the blasting and the fish left in the lake will be deprived of their anticipated winter food by the drawing of of the large amount of water during recent weeks. We wonder to what length these people will be permitted to go in the destruction of our natural resources before official action is taken to call a halt. Not much further, we hope, if we are to have any of the God-given natural beauties which have made this one of America's most valued playgorunds and beauty spots.

We are happy this week to welcome into the newspaper clan of the Sierra region our good friend and close kin, Eugene C. Stowe, who has purchased the Downieville Mountain Messenger and will manage and edit that pioneer journal. A man with wide experience in the newspaper field and unbounded confidence in the area which he will serve, we are confident that Gene Stowe will succeed in his new undertaking and we wish him the best of luck.

If you haven't already done so make your contribution to the War Chest Fund. You all know why this drive is being made—there can be no adequate argument against it, and we can advance hundreds of reasons for it, so subscribe liberally now.

WAR CHEST FUND DRIVE ENDS SOON

Although they have been active only a week, volunteers here have collected $700 of Truckee's $1000 quota in the War Fund Drive, Chairman R. N. Little advised the Lions Club, sponsors of the drive here last night. Little announced that the local drive would be concluded Saturday night. Anyone who has noe been contacted should make their contribution at Bank of America and no solicitors will call at the homes.

LOW CLOUDS END SUNNY WEATHER

After enjoying unusually mild and sunshiney weather in this region for the past several weeks, following a light flurry of snow and rain last month, the region yesterday was blanketed with low-hanging clouds and a light precipitation. Road conditions remain good, however, and barometers do not indicate storm.

HUNTERS WARNED ON PHEASANT TAGS

Unless pheasant hunters get their hunting licenses and pheasant tags right away, many will very likely be unable to go out on the opening day, November 28, according to H. R. Dunbar, chief of the bureau of licenses of the state division of fish and game. Dunbar says that license sales are very slow at the present time and that license agents will not be able to accomodate last minute rush of buyers.

Former Truckee Man Hurt When Crash Kill Two

Plane Fails To Clear Roof Of Shack At Capital Air Station

C. J. Bowers, 44, former Truckee business man, past president of the Truckee Lions Club and active in the winter sports development of this district, suffered a fractured collar bone and other injuries, during an airplane accident at McClelland Field Monday in which two soldiers were killed and three others injured.

Bowers is a civilian employe at the field where he has been employed for several months.

According to a press dispatch from Sacramento, a heavy cargo plane failed to clear a small shack on the Takeoff and crashed. Private First Class Edward J. Strenski, 30 of Green Bay, Wis., and Technician Fifth Class Charyes M. Upp, 27, of Rainsboro Ohio, suffered fatal injuries. Bowers was among the four who were injured. The pilot of the plane Major William A. Radford, Jr., McClelland Field base commander, was not injured. Strenski and Upp were in the shack at the time the plane struck it, the wheels catching in the roof and crashing the ship to the ground.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowers now live at Rout 2, Box 1131, Sacramento.

MEMBERSHIP FEE ADOPTED AS CLUB LIBRARY METHOD

There seems to exist a bit of misunderstanding regarding the operation of the Wyetha Women's Club rental library here. The women have decided that a membership fee of $1, sufficiently nominal not to discourage anyone, be charged for the privilege of using the library, thus eliminating the customary deposit charge.

This course was taken for two reasons. First to provide the use of the library to all who wish to borrow the newest and most popular books and second to permit the use of the membership fee in purchasing new books. The deposit plan would only tie the money up with no one benefiting from it. The small rental fee also goes toward replenishing and increasing the books available.

The library is open between 3 and 4:30 p. m. each Friday afternoon at the Wyethia Clubhouse and the public is invited to participate.

CRAEMER TELLS OF CALIFORNIA'S AID TO WAR EFFORT

Speaking before the Lions Club here last night, Justus F. Craemer, member of the State Railroad Commission and Orange County newspaper publisher, declared for the most part, the state of California alone produces and has available a greater abundance of vital war needs than any of the Axis powers. He told of the outstanding part California is playing in winning the war with its vast resources. The talk was emphasized with statistical data and on one can doubt that the speaker is well versed with the topic of California's Part in the War.

Craemer was accompanied here by A. C. Seidel, commission investigator. N. F. Dolley presided and har arranged for the program. Pvts. Harry Digesti and Nick Sassarini and Seaman Dave Bolender, Pvt. Byron Johnson and N. Quilici were guests.

619 DEER VALIDATED HERE THIS SEASON

TAHOE CITY, Nov. 18.— Game Warden Bill LaMarr of this district declared last week that he had personally checked with local authorities who officially validated deer tags this season, a total of 619 deer taken from the district, excluding El Dorado County. Taking into account deer which were killed but not validated here, LaMarr estimates that close to 800 were shot in the area. This was a decided increase over last year.

CASSIDY INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE CRASH

Bert Cassidy, editor of the Auburn Journal, suffered severe back injuries recently when his car ran into a cow on the highway as he was returning home from Downieville. He will be incapacitated for some time.

Tahoe Briefs

By SWANEE

Stanley Martin spent the weekend in Fallon where he shot the limit of ducks. His wife vacatoned from Thursday to Sunoday at the home of Mrs. May Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman R. Mayfield are enjoying a few days vacation in the bay district.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Duncan of the summit are spending a late fall vacation at their cottage at Lake Forest.

E. H. Pomin suffered a painful cut on one of his hands while engaged in cutting Christmas trees for the local ski club Sunday. He and Mrs. Pomin have closed their cottages at Tahoe Park and moved into their house in town for the winter.

Dick Hinkle was among those who cut Christmas trees on the hill on Sunday of last week. His name was unintentionally omitted last week.

The lake level Monday stood at 6227.11 with 197 CSF of water leaving the gates. Low temepratture for the week was 24.

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TAHOE SKI CLUB IN BUSY MEETING NAMES OFFICERS

TAHOE CITY, Nov. 18.— Members of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club, nearly 30 strong met in community hall on Firday night with Harry Johanson presiding for the opening of the meeting.

Election of officers was the chief business of the evening with Allan Pollitt, in charge o fthe Tahoe Fish Hatcheries, elected the new president Stanley Martin, vice president; Mrs. Ethel Atherton, treasurer; Mrs. Beulah Carnell, secretary; A. A. Anderson, tournament director and the following were named directors: C.A. Swanson, Fred Setley, Floyd Carnell, Leon Dockham and Harry Johanson. Carl Bechdolt, Jr., was appointed chief of the hill. The new officers were unanimously elected, all nominations being uncontested. The new officers took over their respective posts during the evening, following a hearty vote of thanks and appreciation to ex-president Johnason who has conducted the affairs of the club for the past two years.

Following discussion, it was decided to hold regular meetings during the winter months the first Tuesday of each month and to conduct a drive for old and new memberships. Money thus acquired will be utilized to purchase a bond, any residue to go for repairs to the ski tow on the hill in town which will be kept in repair not only for the homefolks but to accomodate any of the home town boys in the service woh may be foutunate enough to get home on furlough.

Mrs. Eleanor Swanson was appointed chairman of the committee of three including Mrs. Carnell and Mrs. Johanson, which will be in charge of a card party to be held in the local hall Saturday night, November 20 at 8 p.m. The public is cordially invxited to attend and all card gaems will be played. Refreshments will top off the evening's entertainment.

A total of 252 trees weer cut over the past two Sundays by club members and their friends, the lot bringing $1.25 a tree. This sum will pay off all indebtedness on the club's 68 acres above town where the new ski hill is located and also will permit the club to start the season out of "the red."

LEGAL NOTICE

No. 4351

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of L. P. McKELVEY, also known as LARRY McKELVEY, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned SARAH McKELVEY, administratrix with the will annexed of the Estate of L. P. McKelvey, also known as Larry McKelvey, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the deceased to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada or to present them, with the necessary vouchers to the said SARAH McKELVEY, Front Street, Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California, which said office the undersigned designates as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of said deceased, within six months after the date of the first publication of this Notice.

Dated this 5th day of November, 1943.

SARAH McKELVEY, Administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of L. P. McKelvey, also known as Larry McKelvey, Deceased.

Gerald R. Johnson attorney for said Administratrix.

The first publication of this notice was made on the 11th day of November, 1943. D9-5t

UNCLE OF TAHOE FAMILY EXPIRES AT RENO HOSPICE

TAHOE CITY, Nov. 18.— Word was received on Tuesday morning of the death in St. Mary's Hospital in Reno of William Forsythe, uncle of Stanley Martin of Tahoe City. He had been in poor health for a number of months. Death was attributed to heart ailment. His wife May and two step daughters, Mildren Coddington and Helen Argod survive him. Fenral services are pending.

Latest word received by Mrs. Floyd Carnell from her vacationing husband in the east described his visits to Washington, Baltimore and other cities where relatives dwell. He was having a most enjoyable time but is anxious to return home once more for a bit of relaxation.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY UNDER DEED OF TRUST

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by Placer County Title Company, party of the second part named in that certain deed of trust bearing date of the 9th day of December, 1937, and made and executed by J. O. Jones and Bertha Jones, his wife, to Placer County Title Company, a corporation, second party, and Placer County Bank, a corporation, as third party, and found recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Nevada, in Book 40 of Official Records, at page 170, et seq., that the real property described in said deed of trust and hereinafter described will on the 3rd day of December, 1943, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m. on said day, in front of the courthouse in Nevada City, California, be sold at public auction. Said real property, being the real property described in said deed of trust, is described as follows:

All that portion of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 23, Township 17 North, Range 14 East, M. D. B. & M., described as follows, viz:

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That said sale will be made for cash, legal tender of the United States, to the highest bidder.

That a notice of default under said deed of trust has heretofore been filed in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Nevada, State of California, and more than 90 days have elapsed since the filing of said notice of default, and the defaults under said deed of trust still continue.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, legal tender of the United States, payment to be made in full upon acceptance of the amount bid.

Dated: November 6, 1943.

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MSR. NIELSEN TOLD OF SISTER'S DEATH

TAHOE PARK, Nov. 18.— Mrs. Chris Nielsen was saddened upon arriving home at Tahoe Tuesday night from Reno where they spent the weekend, to learn that a telegram awaited here telling of teh death on Sunday of her oldest sister, Miss Mattie Carroll, 67, owner of the Carroll Hotel in San Jose.

Unaware that she was ill, the news was more shocking. The Nielsens drove all night and arrived at San Jose just in time to attend the funeral services there.

Mrs. Nielsen and a brother Frank Poole of Arcadia are the only surviving relatives. Condolences of the community are sympathetically extended.

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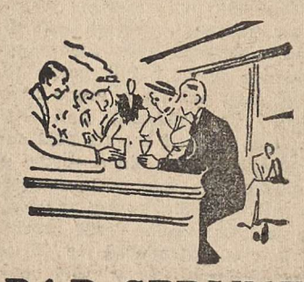

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TAHOE LETTER

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To the Service Men

From SWANEE

Tahoe City, Nov 14

Dear Tahoeites:

Another Sunday night has rolled around and I am again reporting to you the events of the past seven days. The weather has been ideal for the last week or more and the nights have been heavenly with that silver moon shining out over the silent lake waters in all its spendor. In fact so mild have been the daylight hours for some days past that even old Mother Nature has been taken in! On Friday during my hamblings around the woods I discovered something most unusual, for these parts at least. For in shaded nooks I ran across snowplant pushing its fiery head above the gorund, snowbush in bloom, Washington lillies coming up for the second time this season, and most unusual of all —pussywillows popping their silky heads out of willow branches still laden with bright yellow autumn leaves! All of these are among the very first harbingers of spring in the lake area, and are due for a rude disappointment when the snow begins to fly.

Visits Neighbors

Paying the Tahoe region a flying visit reecntly was my old neighbor, Mrs. Helen Slater (the former Helen Clark Park) who was accompanied by a friend from the bay region. She visited at the Chris Nielsens, her former next-door neghbors and mad a quick visit to her old home now owned by the Rudolph Zimmermans of San Francisco, woh have improved and enhansed lovely Holiday House since taking over. She declared she had sold her Minden ranch property and is now living at Berkeley. Her parents, the Edward Clarks of Park Avenue, New York, are soon moving otu to the west to permanently make their home, both being acquainted here where they visited theid daughter. Helen is no longer with the Kaiser shipyards where for some months she was engaged as special policewoman, the work being a little too stiff for her. Her oldest daughter, Frances, will leave soon for the east where she plans to enter an aviation school, preparatory to becoming a WASP. Mrs. Park is now serving in one of the womenn's service organizations, although the specific branch was not learned.

Hear from Blanchards

I learned last week too, of the activities of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blanchard, (Mrs. B. being the former Lillian Vernon) now living in Detroit. Lillian has accepted a posotion with the WYCA of that city as art designer and is enjoying her work immensely. She was invited to serve as instructor for art classes but declined. During her attendance at the University of California at Berkeley where she majored in fine arts, many of her works were given prominent and permanent places in the hall of the art academy. Her husband, well known in this area where he formerly edited a summer newspaper for some time, is engaged on war work for the government, his task at this time being to perfect, expound and prepare for commercial and government use, a unique new heating unit he recently invented. Tentative plans call for a trip home to Tahoe for the vacation holidays.

Letter from Kohlers

A complete surprise was the letter we received from the Fred Kohlers, ex-residents for a number of years at the Truckee river estate of Mrs. Z. H. Ellis where the ywere caretakers. Fred for several years has been employed at the state hospital at Camarillo, Calif., and is now a corporal in the California state guard in chrge of fingerprinting as well as being custodian of the guns and an instructor in marksmanship. He and Fern are well pleased with their new home, the farm producing all their own friut and vegetables, having a modern dairy supplied by 320 cows. He says the town is about the size of Truckee, but has only one liquid refreshment parlor! Deer season has not been opened for two years there and fishing just aint! —much to his disappointment. They often long to return to Tahoe and visit their many friends in this region and at Truckee, but since they can't for the time being, they send along best wishes to all. And I guess we'll have to take a raincheck on their invite to come up and visit for the duration at least.

Kills Biggest Deer

On Friday friend husband, accompanied by Carl Bechdolt, Jr., and Game Warden Bill LaMarr, who had a day off, spied his first buck of the season and redeemed his reputation as acrack hunter. Leaving around nine a.m. the trio departed for Nevada, trying their luck in the vicinity of Mt. Rose. In less than an hour they were on their way back again, Pop Swanson bringing down with one shot a big 250 pound muletail, a four pointer with a spread of 20 inches. It was the largest buck I had ever seen or heard of, killed in this region in all the years I have lived at Tahoe and it will save the Swanson family many a precious red stamp in the days ahead.

Son in Air Training

We were happy to welcome as new subscribers to the Sierra Sun last week Mr. and Mrs. William Wathen who own a home in the Bittencourt tract here, but who are now living in San Francisco where they finally managed to find an apartment of Post Street. Their only son, Robert, a graduate of the local schools, now in training with the army air corps, has been recently transferred from Sheppard Field to Shawnee, Oklahoma, where he will remain at least until the first of the year. He is attending the Oklahoma Baptist University at Shawnee and declares that the folks in that vicinity are extremely nice to the boys in the service and not at all like some of the people from the south one meets in California. Anyone desiring his address may have it by calling me.

A note from Doug

And welcome indeen was the cheery note from my contemporary (who I admit, holds a very warm spot in my heart!) Corporal Doug Barrett, now enjoying the questionable advantages of the far north, with its b-e-e-eutiful snow and ice! We just got a tin of cookies up to him, under the deadline, and he wrote to tell us how much they were appreciated and how quickly they became nothing more than a pleasant memory .... with the help of some of his buddies, of course. We shall file his letter with all our others from the far places of the world and it will become a valued asset in the years to come to yours truly, who prays that a just peace, placating the hatred in the hearts of all men, may not be too far distant.

Gets First Christmas Card

Had my first Christmas card from one of my lads in the far South Pacific. It will undoubtedly be a strange Yuletide for many of you boys out there in the battlefronts of the world, who will probably receive Christmas packages and greetings far in advance of the actual holiday. Well, you can emulate Corp. Barrett who ate his Christmas goodies uponarrival and whistled "Come All Ye Faithful" otgive him the proper holiday spirit! It's an idea worthy of consideration. But early or late, I'm sure you will all be grateful that American, and Americans, take time out to remember the birthday of the Christ Child, even in the midst of the world's most terrible carnage. And we at home will never cease to pray that He will protect and comfort you in your darkest moments, not only at Christmas but through every minute of this crucial struggle.

May Peace and Victory become realities before the end of '43!

May good cheer and hig courage guide your footsteps and the best of good wishes from the folks back home.

As Eever, SWANEE.

TAHOE REALTOR EXPIRES AT HIS HOME IN SOUTH

TAHOE CITY, Nov. 18.— Tahoe residents were saddened to learn this week of the death November 1 of A. B. Johnson, realtor of the Tahoe Park district, where the family owns a summer home.

He had been in failing health for a year or more, the past six months of which he spent mostly confined to his bed. Several months ago he was moved from Tahoe to his home in Los Angeles by ambulance, his health declining steadily since that time.

One son, John Bell Johnson, a member of the Air Corps, whose rating the last we heard was ensign, flew from a field in Georgia, arriving just ti time to attend the funeral. He had visited his father just a short time before. Another son, Donald, although married, is stationed at San Diego in the service, and a daughter, Jean, also lives in the southland. He also leaves his wife and three grandchildren.

Interment was on November 5th at Forest Lawn cemetery. His age was not learned here.

The A. B. Johnsons have been summer residents at Tahoe for more than 20 years and have many friends in this area, ll of whom extend most sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

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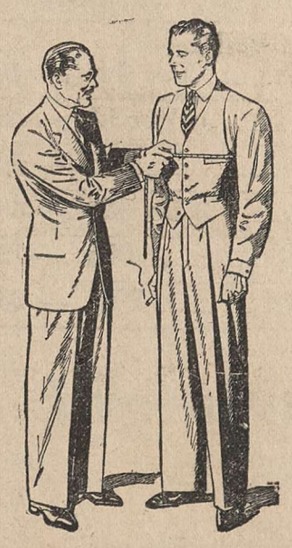

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"In ships, planes and fire power," states Lt. Irene Williamson, who is the Twelfth Naval District WAVES procurment officer, "our Navy is now the greatest in the world. But ships and planes are useless without trained men to man them. The navy must use thousands of navy men now filling shore billets to man our new fleets. If these men are made available for combat duty, the young women of America must step in and take over their jobs. If scheduled offensives in this global war are to be carried out, the navy must have 20,000 more young women by the ned of this year to release men for combat service."

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At Winter Home—
Mr. and Mrs. J. Obexer of Homewood have moved to their winter home at Lincoln.

On Vacation—
Miss Menia Moretta is enjoying her annual vacation from the Bank of America.

Leave for Loomis—
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cavitt and family have moved to Loomis for the winter.

In Nevada—
The Tom Dohertys of Kings Beach are now residing in Reno.

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In the first 12 months of the war the quantity of petroleum and petroleum products sent to United States troops was more than 80 times that shipped in the first 12 months of the last World War.

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American automobile users during 1942 cut down their consumption of gasoline by 17 per cent, according to the Public Roads Administration of the Federal Works Agency.

Tahoe Briefs

By SWANEE

Miss Betty Wheat is the designer of the posters being tacked up in the post offices around the lake in behalf of the ski club's coming dance.

Stanley Martin and Jimmie Swanson Saturday visited the upper Ward Creek bowl and climbed the slopes of Rubicon Peak, clearing away the brush from the courses traversed in early spring where the snow surveys for Nevada is taken annually.

George Tiffee of Sunnyside, recently returned from Fort Miley hospital reported not doing so well last week, is again recovering better health and is hoping to remain at the lake for the winter season.

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To Auburn—
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ring returned to Auburn last Friday following a visit with relatives here.

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